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SMETHPORT REALIZES GREAT BUILDING BOOM

Borough Fathers Kick on Electric Co's Delay In Laying of Conduits

Council Considers West Main and Mechanic Street Paving Project and Advises Only Bidder to Confer With City Engineer; Meet Adjourns to Thursday Evening.

Strenuous kicks against the negligence of the Keystone Electric company having in charge the installation of electric service for Smethport, were made by members of council preliminary to the opening of the regular session Monday night in the borough building. The councilmen were kicking because of failure of the company to supply and lay the conduits along Main street in reasonable time, necessitating the continuance of open ditches on the north side of Main street, over which people not only stumble and fall, but oft-times soil both shoes and raiment. A representative of the electric concern, present at the meeting, was requested to urge the company to get a move on, which he promised to do forthwith.

When the session was called to order at 8 o'clock the members concluded to dispense with consideration of the electric improvement until the next regular meeting and devoted the evening to the West Main street and Mechanic paving project.

Somewhat to the surprise of the council, only one bid was received for the paving of the streets named, that of the Tarafella company of Bradford, through Mr. John S. Sheehan, representative. Fifteen thousand, eight hundred and twenty-eight dollars and twenty-five cents was the sum total of the bid, which proved somewhat in excess of the borough engineer's estimate of $14,378. Critical examination of the bid revealed that in some few instances items were lower than those contained in the engineer's estimate, while in others they were appreciably higher. For this reason council deferred action on the bid, with a request to Mr. Sheehan to confer with the borough engineer regarding the manifest difference in prices. This Mr. Sheehan promised to do forthwith. Council will consider the revised bid at a meeting Thursday night.

Consideration of the bid brought to light the fact that the borough was decidedly short financially; that the manifold improvements of late have practically exhausted the exchequer and that not until October will ready money be available. Therefore, in order to meet present and expected obligations, the clerk was instructed to borrow the sum of $800.

There being no other business along the lines prescribed at the opening of the meeting, council adjourned until Thursday evening.

W. H. Williamson, of the Machias Sand and Gravel company of Olean, N. Y., was present at the meeting and delivered a convincing address on both the financial saving and durability of crushed gravel as a base for road paving, a method the Highway department of New York has adopted with great success. So logical was Mr. Williamson's argument that it is highly probable his suggestions will be followed in the improvement of the streets mentioned.

FREIGHT RATE CUT GIVES ADDED BOOST TO BUSINESS

(Special Correspondence.)

Washington, D. C., July 3.

The inauguration of lower freight rates last Saturday, by which the country entire will be benefitted materially, brought to light the fact that June was the most prosperous month the railroads have experienced since the beginning of the great business depression in 1920.

Furthermore, it has been learned that the volume of business during June has been such as to enable the railroads to show a net return of at least five and one-half per cent.

It is now the belief in official circles that with the 10 per cent cut in rates, effective Saturday last business of every kind will be speeded up and thousands of freight cars idle for many months, will be rehabilitated and pressed into service, and that ere the snow flies late this fall the goal of normalcy will have been attained.

It is estimated that the new reduction in freight rates will benefit American shippers and the American people by $250,000,000 a year. Furthermore, it means a cut of about 29 cents on every ton of coal hauled by the railroads. It also means a reduction of full one per cent. in the cost of home building.

Road building also will be benefitted. Every county and state in the nation will be enabled to save millions by reason of the cut in road building materials. This in itself is bound to give stimulus to thousands of improvements long held up by reason of high prices.

There is a great surplus of money awaiting investments in the nation's banks and demand for this is bound to follow cheaper transportation.

A marked decrease of business failure also is evidence of returning prosperity and, it can be said that the administration is viewing the signs of the times with more confidence in its policies than ever before.

The opinion is prevalent that the Harding administration is coming into its own and that ere another six months has passed many of the president's policies which have been subjected to criticism will meet with popular approval. It has taken a long pull and a strong one together with the exercise of the greatest patience, to redeem the country from the chaose and hysteria of war, but those who have engaged in the work, from the president on down, now see the fruition of their hopes and aspirations.

LOCAL POST REPRESENTED AT LEGION CONVENTION

Dr. W. A. Ostrander, E. G. Potter, W. A. Brownell Roy Thomas, William Nellis, Claude Heinlein, Howard Denning, Doctor Livermore and Robert McCarthy, representing Bucktail Post, American Legion, of Smethport, attended the third annual convention of the Legion at Port Allegany, Monday. Doctor Ostrander attended the banquet tendered the State officers of the Legion in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brownell were Olean visitors Saturday.

McCOY HOME IS SCENE OF REAL FAMILY REUNION; OLD FOLKS ARE HAPPY.

A real old-fashioned reunion is on at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. L. McCoy of Smethport, and the genial physician and his estimable wife are experiencing some of the happiest days of their lives. "There are just eighteen of them," said the doctor, while imparting the news, and when he added that children were in the majority, it was with a smile that betrayed an exceeding fondness for the young folks.

The guests included Dr. and Mrs. McCoy's son, Rev Charles E. McCoy Episcopal rector of Kenosha, Wisconsin, wife and five children, their son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Baker of Erie, Pa., and four children, the oldest of whom, Edward Baker, has just graduated from the College of Dental Surgery of the University of Pittsburgh with high honors.

Since their arrival in Smethport Rev. and Mrs. McCoy and Dr. and Mrs. Baker have been renewing old-time acquaintances. They also have been the recipients of many calls. In all probability they will remain in Smethport for the better part of the week.

OFFICERS CAPTURE MAN AFTER EXCITING CHASE IN VICINITY OF CLERMONT

County Officer Allison, accompanied by Officers Brice and Barker of the State constabulary, experienced a somewhat exciting chase Wednesday a.m., when they sought to arrest Frank Corup of near Clermont on a bench warrant for having forfeited bail pending trial on a charge of illegal manufacture and sale of liquor. Corup's whereabouts were first ascertained when reports reached Smethport that he was running amuck in the Clermont neighborhood and frightening many people. With State Officers Price and Barker, Officer Allison proceeded to the Clermont neighborhood, not, however, without Corup getting a view of their approach and making a run for freedom. The pursued led his pursuers full half a mile ere his capture was effected. He was brought to Smethport and given into the custody of Sheriff Robinson.

NEW ASST SUPERINTENDENT.

R. P. Barnhart, for 3 years principal of Mt. Jewett schools, has been appointed to succeed Mr. L. T. Black as assistant county superintendent of schools of McKean county.

SMETHPORT ATHLETES WIN IN ALL IMPORTANT EVENTS PUT ON AT PORT ALLEGANY

While Port Allegany put on an American Legion convention and a Fourth of July celebration that has seldom if ever been equaled in this section of the country, Smethport's strength, skill, energy, courage, endurance and daring proved the one big drawing card of the big event, for truth to tell Smethport bagged all the honors plus in the various athletic events, the which means that she captured the prize cup for athletic stunts for a second time, and has only to win it once more to retain it forever.

It was a big celebration attended by a record crowd. Features of the day were: Track meet of McKean county Posts, a grand military parade, one of the best ever put on; a big barbecue free to all men in uniform, a parachute drop from an aeroplane to the ball grounds, a baseball game between Kane and Bradford teams; and moving pictures on the square, followed by "flashes of action" taken by the U. S. Signal corps on the battlefront of France in 1918.

The interest of the day, however, centered in the field events of the various athletic associations, in which Smethport proved an easy winner in all save the high jump, shot-put and pole vault, which went to Kane, Pa.

The record for athletic events reveals that Smethport won the 100 yard, 220-yard and 440-yard dashes with ease; that Stramburg, of Smethport won the one-mile run hands down; that in the broad jump Burdick and Workley of Smethport stood first and second respectively; that in the relay race and two other races Smethport participated exclusively, there being no one with sufficient spunk to enter the lists against the local boys; and that Gallagher, Denning, McDermott, Burdick, Workley, Pickersgille, Rowe, and Stramburg, all athletes to the manner born and all Smethport lads, were the stellar lights of the athletic contests from start to finish.

The score for all events stood: Smethport 72; Kane 23.

The only blot on Smethport's otherwise clean escutcheon was received on Monday in the game between the local aggregation and Port Allegany, the score standing 12 to 2 in Port Allegany's favor. Those who witnessed the game, however, declared that Port Allegany's success was the result of an accident and that the next time the club meet there will be a different tale to relate.

SMETHPORT WINS HOT GAME WITH SHEFFIELD.

In one of the warmest base ball games of the season, played last Sunday afternoon, Smethport defeated Sheffield by the score of 8 to 7. It took 11 innings to turn the trick, and for the reason that the teams were closely matched from the beginning, the suspense was at fever heat throughout.

Mrs. Flora Hogarth Well Known Woman is Called by Death

Mrs. Flora Bennett Hogarth, well known and highly esteemed resident of Smethport, passed away at her home Friday night, June 30, at the advanced age of 75 years. The end came suddenly from a heart attack.

Funeral services were conducted at the home Monday afternoon at 2:30, Rev. W. E. VanDyke officiating. Interment was made in Rose Hill cemetery.

Out-of-town attendants at the funeral were: Donald Hogarth, of Harrisburg; Miss Theo Gifford, Williamsport; Mrs. Carrie Mason, Williamsport; Mrs. Mont Peters, Buffalo; Mrs. W. K. Wright, Renova; Mrs. F. H. Howard, Emporium; Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Schwab, Bradford.

Flora Bennett Hogarth was born in Smethport, April 22, 1847, and lived here until the time of her marriage, to Dr. F. W. Hogarth, November 15, 1868, when the newly wedded pair removed to Port Allegany. Two children were born to the union—Leon K. Hogarth of Smethport, and Ruth Hogarth, who preceeded her mother in death. Three sisters and one brother also survive—Mrs. A. B. Armstrong and Mrs. Anson Burdick of Smethport; Mrs. D. T. Stone, Rochester, N. Y.; and Edward Bennett of Smethport.

Mrs. Hogarth resided in Port Allegany until death claimed her husband, when she removed to Smethport. She was a lifelong member of St. Luke's Episcopal church, a member of St. Luke's Guild, and at all times prominent in the affairs of the Eastern Star.

An exemplary Christian woman, a friend beloved of many and a kind neighbor, her passing has left a void in the minds and hearts of all who knew her.

INTERVIEWS REVEAL REVIVAL OF BUSINESS IN CITY AND COUNTY

Prosperity No Longer 'Just Around the Corner,' But Right in Our Community and With Both Feet; Leaders Predict a Greater Smethport in Near Future; Optimism Prevails

Smethport is sharing in the return of prosperity to an extent which, when compared with the backward years of 1920-21, is gratifying indeed.

Local business men are authority for the statement that prosperity is no longer "just around the corner," but right in our midst, and with both feet. With respect to the future, every utterance in the way of a prediction contains fully 99 per cent. of optimism.

With a view to determining if there was any foundation for the insistent reports concerning the return of prosperity and just what effect these reports had produced in Smethport, a representative of The Miner interviewed the heads of the various building and building supply trades Monday afternoon with the result of confessed substantial trade improvement since the first of the year and the utmost confidence with respect to the future.

Business Fairly Booming.

"Our business has shown a decided improvement in the past few months and especially during the past few weeks," said Mr. Bernard A. Ball of the Holmes & Gilfillan Building and Lumber company, and "I have reason to believe that business generally has increased in like ratio. The lumber and building business has passed the convalescent stage and is advancing rapidly toward a state of robust activity. Building and repair activities in Smethport and vicinity are greater than at any time since America entered the war. In consequence the demand upon our company is such that it taxes us to the utmost to meet it. While quite a number of new buildings are under way, building repair work has attained almost unprecedented proportions. A serious problem that our company—and every other lumber company faces, however, is a manifest shortage of material, and in Smethport this problem is augmented by a shortage of mechanics and building laborers. Every man having to do with the building trades easily can find employment full six days a week without cessation. Respecting shortage of material, it can be said that the recent great demands have far exceeded the supply; that the unexpected business awakening caught the lumber producers asleep at the switch; therefore a considerable period of time must elapse ere supply equals demand.

Scents Building Boom.

"Yes, quite a number of new buildings are under way in Smethport and a large number are being planned. And right here, let me tell you that if Smethport only exerts itself to the point of putting over the bottle plant, not only the building trade, but trade generally will boom as never before. I am one of a number who believes that the bottle plant will be ours despite seeming embarrassments.

"What with the building of a new Masonic temple at a cost of twenty-five thousand dollars, a new frame residence in West Main street for Mr. Claude Shattuck, a new brick residence for Mr. Francis Quirk in East Main street, major alterations on the Williams Monheimer residence in East Main Street and manifold demands for major and minor alterations coming from practically everywhere in Smethport and McKean county—all this with the assurance of greater and lasting betterment,—gives every reason for confidence.

"Yes, prosperity is here and if the signs of the times read aright, it is here to stay for a long period of time."

Hallstrom Brothers Confirm It.

"Yes, business is better, a great deal better," said Mr. Victor Hallstrom, of Hallstrom Brothers, hardware, builders' supplies and house furnishings dealers, when approached on the subject of returning prosperity. "The future is exceeding hopeful," he continued, "and prospects for greater improvement never were brighter. That there is great activity in the building and repair line, the remarkable increase in the sales of hardware, paints, roofing, and other supplies at our store affords convincing evidence. While the starting of the factories has helped, the movement toward betterment started before the factories got under way. And there has been a surprising movement in household goods," he continued. "In these lines our sales have been gratifying indeed. And with the return of prosperity has come marked reductions in many articles of household use, many lines having decreased fully fifty per cent in price. In common with all business men, with whom I have come in contact, I believe that the break from business stagnation has been made for good, and that the next few months will witness a thorough business revival in all lines of endeavor. Locally, business is sound; confidence has supplanted hesitation. We are well on the way toward building up that which was torn down."

Musser Sees Improvement.

"There has been a gradual but decided improvement in all hardware staples the past few months," said Mr. C. W. Musser, when asked concerning the return of prosperity. "The improvement over last year is notable indeed. This future contains great promise. Prosperity has been slow in coming, but slow improvement in business invariably implies a healthy and lasting condition. One great trouble appears to be the disinclination of many people to permit proper readjustment. In this respect I feel that I must state that in many lines our prices have decreased from fifty to one hundred per cent. There are, in fact, many instances of business deflation and a tendency toward normal. Paints have been reduced fully fifty per cent, and only within the past few days I received notice of a twenty per cent reduction on aluminum ware. And get this: Auto tires are cheaper than ever—even below pre-war prices. Thus the tendency toward normal. Normality achieved, business will fairly boom.

"Business conditions in Smethport are exceedingly healthy, with a decided tendency toward greater improvement. If we but realize on our expectations of new factories and an augmented electric service, Smethport will prosper to a far greater extent than ever before."

Thus the interviews end; but it may be remarked in passing that confirmation of the opinion set forth by men in close touch with the building situation is made by every local merchant, who, sharing in the increased prosperity, is arranging his business to meet the certain greater demand.

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Somewhere in this town is one boy who is a "go-getter," full of grit and ambition, and absolutely honest. We want that boy. He will be the only boy agent in this town for the famous MOVIE WEEKLY MAGAZIN. He will work after school and other spare time. His pay will be what he makes it; besides fine prizes and free Movie Tickets. When he makes good, he will be promoted. If you are between 14 and 19 years old, determined to "make good" and truly think you are the boy for this job, then apply by letter to Mr. E. L. Gilbert, "Personal," 3rd floor, 119 West 40th Street, New York City. Give full details of any past selling experience; your age; parent's full name and business; your school grade and at least two references.

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TURTLE POINT

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Many from this place are attending the big doings in Port Allegany this week.

John Case arrived home Saturday after a two weeks trip on the road.

Bertha Hughes from Kane is visiting her brother T. F. Hughes at this writing.

The Ball game at this place Sunday between Turtle Point and Eldred didn't prove to much of a game. red didn't prove so much of a game. be held to the Simpson grove on July.

The Annual picnic which was held July 4th in Simpson's grove was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Taylor took a nice little trip Sunday going by Larabee, crossed the flats at Coryville up this side of Potato Creek; and called on Mrs. Randall. They they went to Farmers Valley and called on Mr. and Mrs. Decker at that place. On their way home they called on Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard at Larrabee.

Homer Freer and brother in law of this place are conducting an ice-cream parlor at Port Allegany this week.

The heavy rains have been a great help to the hay crop and very little damage has been done here.

The chimney on John Case's house was struck by lightning recently, otherwise no damage was done.

We shall soon expect to see Jakie Plunket out in their new car.

Lou Simpson expects to go on a vacation the latter part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mort Simpson are home from New York. Mrs. Simpson expects to stay for some time.

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COLEGROVE

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Mr. Brothers of Olean was a business visitor in town Saturday.

Vern Palmer spent Sunday at his home in Olean.

Mr. Lewis was a business visitor in Olean during the week end.

Mrs. Bouch and sons were visitors of Mrs. Beverly Mason a few days last week.

Ed. Benson and wife of Olean spent Sunday with the former's mother. Mrs. C. M. Benson.

Mr. Kelly and wife of Erie were guests of James McCurdy and family for the week-end.

Many Colegrove people were in Smethport Saturday evening.

A. G. McAllister and family were Betula visitors Saturday evening.

Why, aren't you going to the Redcliffe Chautauqua at Crosby, July 6, 7, and 8? Come along and help out.

We are glad to see the P. R. R. Company has put on another coach even if there are no passengers, it looks like a train anyway.

Mrs. Pearson and children of Olean spent Friday with Andersons.

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CROSBY

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Mrs. C. Heinlein and little son, Jr., of Rochester, N. Y., are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Landan.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Garrison and son, and Miss Francis Dunbar of Cleveland, Ohio was calling on friends in Crosby last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Llewellyn Freer were Smethport shoppers last Wednesday.

Miss Mabel Larson is assisting Mrs. John Raszman with her household duties.

Mr. W. A. Hulett was in Crosby Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gallup, and Misses Mary and Julia Bell Gallup and Edmund Whitelaw autoed to Cuba lake Saturday.

Miss Theressa Swort called on Mrs. Maude Heinan Saturday evening.

Mrs. John Kilcoin and children, Harold Gilbert and Harriet are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Wilcox.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Grinolds and children visited the latters parents Mr. and Mrs. S Marsh Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Metzgar motored to Smethport Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Manwarring and daughters motored to Smethport Saturday evening.

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FARMERS VALLEY

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Mrs. Annie Finley was a Sunday afternoon guest of her daughter, Mrs. August Tanner and family.

Miss Marion Stratton attended Sunday school and church at the Valley Sunday afternoon.

There was a large number from here attended the picnic at Coryville on the 4th.

Miss Marion Stratton and Mr. Anthony Greely were seen on our streets Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tanner and family were seen on our street Saturday evening.

W. E. Finley and family and mother motored to East Smethport Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. August Tanner and family motored to Smethport Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Otto motored to Portville, Sunday.

An aeroplane passed over Farmers Valley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Rice and family entertained a number of their relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Tanner and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Otto, the Misses Lucy and Mary Rice, and Mrs. Bela Ferman motored to Olean Friday. Mr. August Tanner and Mrs. Bela Ferman were having dental work done; and Mr. H. D. Otto and Mrs. Ferman also visited the oculist.

Mr. Peter Maloney and daughter Lucy were visiting Mrs. Ada Finley last week.

Jack Keesler's barn was struck by lightning one day last week, not much damage was done.

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Vera Gordon

Vera Gordon, the "movie" actress who has *immortalized motherhood on* the screen, has assumed the care of 42 motherless children. Recently in *Philadelphia, Miss Gordon's picture* was unveiled at a special ceremony held at a Philadelphia orphanage. *Through her charity the home is* mainly maintained.

"What's in a Name?"

By MILDRED MARSHALL

Facts about your name; its history; meaning; whence it was derived; significance; your lucky day and lucky jewel

MILLICENT

THE affected young miss who changes her name from Mildred to Millicent in the fond belief that the two are interchangeable, is really rechristening herself. The two names are utterly dissimilar.

Millicent, which is translated to mean work; strength, comes from that remarkable word "amal," meaning work; which appears in some similar form in all languages. We have our word "moll" from it. Many feminine names have been evolved from amal, the first probably being Amalaswinth, the unfortunate queen of Lombardy, whom the Romans could not protect from the treachery of her favorites. Historians call her Amalasontha; but in Burgundy she became Melisendra, Melicerte, and Melisine.

Spanish balladlore reveals a Melisendra as the wife of Don Gayferos, who was taken captive by the Moors and we hear of her through Don Quixote. Melusine was the nymph, wife of Lord de Leezignan, who, according to old legend, retired from public view every Saturday and turned into a serpent.

Princess Melisende carried the crown of Jerusalem to the House of Anjou and through the Provencal connection of the English court, Lady Melisent Stafford, who lived during the reign of Henry II, established the name in England. It soon came to be spelt Melicent and finally Millicent, prevailing as such today.

The simplest of all gems, the turquoise, is Millicent's talismanic stone. It is said to protect its wearer from all dangers, whether she walks or rides—or flies, the present day legend must add. It is an augury of good fortune if she sees the new moon reflected in the stone. Saturday is her lucky day and 1 her lucky number and holly is her flower.

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A LINE O' CHEER

By John Kendrick Bangs.

A PLEASING HOPE

I HOPE some day when I have gone
Into the realms of glory
To meet upon those shores anon
The great of song and story:
To great old Homer with his lyre,
And chum it with Balboa,
And chat awhile with my grandsire,
The well-known Mr. Noah.

I hope to meet with Socrates,
And listen to Macaulay,
And smoke perhaps a pipe of peace
With Powhatan and Raleigh:
To roam the fields with Avon's son
On terms so far from chilly
That he'll refer to me as John,
The while I call him Billy.

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Something to Think About

By F. A. WALKER

FORWARD, BACKWARD

EVERYTHING in nature is moving toward a great purpose. There is no inactivity in the atoms or in the spheres; no turning backward, no indecision, but a constant movement in a forward direction, carrying us away from the yesterdays to new dawnings and new days.

The winds, the tides, the spinning of the earth in its prescribed orbit, the rising and the setting of the sun, the coming and the going of the seasons, the blooming and the fading of verdure and flowers, all bear evidence of progress, and eternal life.

Being a minute part of nature, performing your little role in the great scheme of creation, reciting your lines, do you ever pause to ask yourself whether you are moving forward or backward?

In spite of any thought you may entertain in the matter, you are going ahead or drifting behind, just as surely as the roses bloom in summer and the snows blanket the ground in winter.

You are better equipped for your life-work today than you were yesterday, or less efficient.

Your mental and physical forces have undergone an imperceptible change and you have changed with them.

You are a trifle more dexterous in your work or slightly more clumsy.

In the last 24 hours you have not remained in a quiescent state, for the laws of motion have been silently at work, carrying you a step or two forward or backward, setting you down at the threshold of a new day a slightly changed being for better or worse, which you may or may not observe as you take hold of today's duties.

Before night, however, you may become conscious of a new-born power, or a lack of it, and wonder what the transformation means.

Its significance is clear. You are going forward or backward, keeping in accord with the eternal motion of things of which you are a part.

If you would move forward, keep step with the men and women who are laboring and achieving in the great purpose, you must watch your every thought, impulse and act, and ask yourself at the beginning of each day whether you are pressing toward victory or turning toward defeat.

"Forward or backward?" ought to be your initial question at dawn, and your final query at night. Let this self-examination become a habit, and in a little while you will be glad that you acquired it.

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Mother's Cook Book

"A house is never perfectly furnished for enjoyment unless there is a child rising three years old and a kitten rising three weeks."

MORE GOOD THINGS

AS STALE bread will accumulate, a little care is needed to keep ahead of the growth. If dry bread is put through the meat chopper it may then be used for croquettes, meat balls, and any number of dishes. Keep the crumbs in a glass jar, sealed from the air.

Tip-Top Omelet.

Boil one-half cupful of milk, add one tablespoonful of butter and one cupful of bread crumbs, seasoning to taste. Beat the yolks of three eggs and add them, then stir in the stiffly beaten whites. Pour into a buttered omelet pan and cook until well browned.

Ham Patties.

Take two cupfuls of ham chopped fine, three cupfuls of bread crumbs, three eggs and enough sweet milk to make a soft batter. Mix well, drop into gem pans; drop a piece of butter in each and bake until brown.

Brown Bread.

Take two cupfuls of stale bread crumbs, one and one-half pints of cold water, mix and soak over night, then rub through a sieve one and one-fourth cupfuls of molasses, one and one-half cupfuls each of graham flour, cornmeal and rye meal, two teaspoonfuls of salt, three and one-half teaspoonfuls of soda and one and three-fourths cupfuls of cold water. Mix well and steam three hours.

Stuffed Apples for Tea.

Take fine large apples, core and fill with one-half cupful each of bread crumbs, and chopped roast beef, one tablespoonful of melted butter, one teaspoonful of onion juice, one-quarter teaspoonful of celery salt, half teaspoonful of salt, one tablespoonful of parsley chopped and a dash of red pepper. Mix well and press into the apples. Bake in a little hot water from half to three-quarters of an hour.

Fruit Betty.

Put a layer of crumbs in a well buttered baking dish, cover with blueberries, canned or fresh, then add another layer of bread with a bit of butter and sugar if needed. Bake until well heated through. Serve with cream and sugar.

Nellie Maxwell

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Smethport Lodge, No. 389, meets Friday evenings at 8 o'clock in I. O. O. F. Hall. Will work initiatory degree first meeting of each month; 1st degree on second; 2nd degree on third; and third degree on fourth meeting night.
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Smethport Encampment, No. 279 meets the first and third Wednesdays of each month in I. O. O. F. Hall.
CHARLES LEMMLER, C. P.
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Meets the 1st and 3rd Monday evenings of each month, at 8o'clock, in the I. O. O. F. Hall.
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EDNA ANDERSON Fin. Sec'y

P. H. C.
Smethport Branch, No. 25, meets on every Tuesday evening in I. O. O. F. Hall.
C. M. COLEGROVE, President
ANNA O. STARK, Secretary.

P. of H.
Meets 1st and 3rd Thursday evenings in each month in I. O. O. F. Hall.
FRANK REEVES, W. M.
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O. E. S.
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Leave from B. & O. News Room Leaves Bradford 7:45 a. m.; 12:00 m. and 4:15 p. m. and 10:45 p. m.

Sunday

Leave Smethport 10:30 a. m. and 6 30 p. m.

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Leave Bradford 10:45 p. m.

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NEWS OF THE SECTION
and Exchange Clippings

Bradford—Erie railroad officials have planned to install fast car service between this city and Salamanca, connecting with all through trains at Salamanca. Cars of a new type of 40 psaengers capacity will be used.

Shinglehouse—The State Forest department is erecting public camp grounds on the turnpike through the forest. The camp grounds are equipped with places for cooking and small buildings for shelter, each provided with spring water.

Port Allegany—The Metzger Construction Company has practically finished the road from Portville to Veres. By the middle of July the company will start work on the Burtville road with the expectation of completion before winter.

Bradford—The death of George Fisher Stone attorney and former superintendent of Bradford schools, occurred at his late home in Seattle, Thursday, June 29. Mr. Stone once represented this district in congress and in 1878 was elected lieutenant governor.

Johnsonburg—George Harlos, umbrella mender, was mistaken for a woodchuck and shot in the head and chest by a Polish workman. He is in a dangerous condition at the Ridgway hospital, but will recover.

St. Mary's—A doe about a year old, was found dead along the B. R. & P. tracks, about a mile east of Swissmount. The supposition is that the doe was hit by a train.

Harrisburg—Ten thousand permits for use of spears and gigs in fishing after July 1, have been issued by the department of fisheries, with many more to be issued. This is the largest list handled since the special device permit law became effective.

MAGAZINES.

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Coudersport—The record robbery for this section was staged Wednesday morning when thieves entered the S. Delches store and seizing upon 65 high class suits, loaded them in a car and made a successful getaway. Loss, $2,500.

Ridgway—Wm. Pettis, 51, known as "Big Bill," transfer man, dropped dead early Saturday morning while seated in his wagon.

Warren—Northwestern Pennsylvania Good Roads Association meeting here agreed upon the following routes for presentation to the State Highway department: Erie to Warren via Waterford, Union City and Corry; from Warren to Kane via Clarendon and Sheffield; from Kane to St. Mary's via Johnsonburg and Ridgway; from St. Mary's east to Harrisburg.

Johnsonburg—The Sparks Circus will show here Friday, July 28.

Port Allegany—Considerable success has been met in selling bonds for the new Glass Machine company. About half the amount planned to be sold locally has been disposed of.

Kane—The wage reduction announced for maintenance of way employes on the Pennsylvania system, averages lower than that ordered on other railways by the U. S. labor board, is the word received at head quarters of the Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employes.

Johnsonburg—A wholesale raid on illicit liquors traffic took place last Thursday. Revenue officers assisted by police confiscated 38 barrels and 5 kegs of grape wine, moonshine and white mule and 5 stills.

Punxsutawney—After searching two years for her alleged betrayer, Rose Luce, 16, of this place, shot and perhaps fatally wounded Philip Scatoragis. He is in the hospital with a bullet wound in his chest. The girl is in jail.

Coudersport—News of the death of Attorney S. C. White, 63, of Chehalis, Washington, which occurred June 5, reached here last Friday. Attorney White practiced law here for several years.

WESTERN TIER OF COUNTIES HAVE REAL GOOD ROADS.

The Western tier counties, Venango, Mercer, Lawrence, Forest, Crawford, Butler, Warren, Erie, Clarion and Armstrong will have 728 miles of improved roads when all pending projects are carried out, and indications point to the most of it being done this year. The mileage now in existence is 464 and the mileage contracted for two weeks ago was 112. Since then part of the 162 "pending" miles has gone into the "contracted" list. Clarion will be one of the most active in the tier and when the entire program has been carried out it will be possible to reach three other county seats direct, and others by indirect routes.—Kane Republican.

PAIR OF DEER APPEAR ON HIGHWAY NEAR KANE.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bliss of Kinzua were given a thrill Friday forenoon, when a large buck and doe leaped from the woods into the middle of the road near the watering trough about five miles from Kane and within a few feet of their horse; as they were on their way to this city. The deer were somewhat startled but did not leave the road immediately and ran along the highway for nearly 300 feet before they took to the woods again.—Kane Republican.

DOCTORS FIND REMEDY FOR IVY POISONING.

The fear of poison ivy, which has kept many of city dwellers away from the woods and meadows a whole season through, is now an unnecessary fear. The specter in the shadows of the forest is gone. Science has provided the means for warding off the illness which otherwise would follow infection. The remedy is just an application of ordinary gasoline. Benzine may be used instead.

Science has discovered that the irritation of the skin in ivy poisoning, is no different from any other chemical burn, and that gasoline or benzine will disolve and remove the poisonous oil of the ivy if applied in time. As many as eight hours may elapse between the touching of the ivy and the application of the remedy. Even persons on hikes in lonely districts may benefit by the discovery, since any passing motorist can supply enough gasoline to do the work.

RETAIL DEALERS CARELESS IN SALE OF DRIED FRUIT.

Merchants are becoming lax in the sale of dried fruits that have been treated with sulphur dioxide. During the past several weeks it has been necessary for agents of the Bureau of Foods of the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture to prosecute twenty-six retailers for violations of this nature.

The pure food laws of Pennsylvania prohibit the use of sulphur dioxide in all food stuffs and drinks, except dried fruits and molasses. When dried fruits and molasses have been treated with the chemical it is required that they be sold to the consumer only in packages in which the fact has been set forth.

Practically all the fruits dried in the West and shipped into Pennsylvania are treated with sulphur dioxide and the containers received by the retailer are so labeled.

It is believed that the Pennsylvania violations are largely due to carelessness but the Bureau of Food will insist that the law be rigidly obeyed.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CHARTER.

Notice is hereby given that under the provisions of an Act of Assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and its supplements, application will be made by C. C. Choate, George W. Mitchell, Guy B. Mayo, J. A. Swanson, H. S. Rubin, W. F. Specht and Guy H. McCoy, to the Court of Common Pleas of McKean County on July 25th, 1922, at 2.00 o'clock, P. M., or as soon thereafter as same may be heard, for a charter for an intended corporation to be called "Masonic Building Association of Smethport, Pennsylvania," the charter and object of which is the purchase of suitable land in the Borough of Smethport, McKean County, Pennsylvania, and the erection thereon of a building or hall for public or private purposes; and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges conferred by the said act and the supplements thereto. The proposed charter is now on file in the Prothonotary's Office.

T. H. MORRISON,
Solicitor.

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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION.

In re estate of Fred W. Brownell, deceased.

Letters testamentary have been duly granted by the Register of Wills upon the estate of Fred W. Brownell, late of the Borough of Smethport, McKean county, Pennsylvania, deceased, to Wm. F. Specht, residing in said borough, to whom all persons who are indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and all persons having any legal claim against or demand upon said estate shall make known and present the same without delay.

Wm. F. Specht, Executor,
Smethport, Pa.

Guy B. Mayo, Attorney.
Smethport, Pa., April 22, 1922.
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How did your neighbor's last bargain tire turn out

PROBABLY you know at least one car-owner who is always on the look-out for the cheapest tires he can find. He likes to get them by mail, or at a sale or at some place where they have big red bargain signs over the door.

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WHICH SIDE ARE YOU ON?

Despite the chaos incident to and resultant of the Great World War, the first "achievement" of the first Wilson administration, proved the greatest handicap to American industry that business men and working men have ever experienced. Remember the days of 1913-14 when business of every kind slumped to such a degree that the army of unemployed was greater that the country had ever known—greater by far than in the days of reconstruction following the greatest conflict of all time. No student of history can deny the statement that the World War saved America from the menace of prolonged industrial depression, nor can it be denied that the free-trade complexion of the Underwood tariff enactment was the responsible factor therefor. Conditions favored America throughout the war primarily because of her resourcefulness. It was the only country to which the belligerent countries could make appeal. European industry, have for the fabrication of munitions, was practically prostrate. The demand on America increased her business to maximum capacity.

Someone has said that America's prosperity during the war was the "natural result of an unnatural condition." That this statement was true, is proved by the fact that industrial subsidience followed subsidence of the war fever. Today, on the road to "Normalcy," America finds herself at the point where the Underwood tariff enactment started. A survey reveals that the free trade and low revenue schedules of the Democratic tariff are as menacing in 1922 as they were in 1913-14; that European industry, recovering by leaps and bounds, finds in America the markets desired for all excess products.

To obviate this menace to American industry and American workers, the Republican administration has formulated a comprehensive American tariff, designed to protect the American market. Its adoption will mean conservation of the home market—of advantage to America of disadvantage to those foreign countries which, under a Democratic tariff, now enjoy this great privilege at our expense.

In the McCumber bill is contained the solution of America's industrial and commercial ills. That's all there is to the tariff issue. Which side are you on?

DEMOCRATS SEEK TO FOOL WOMEN.

That Democratic politicians and foes of the Republican party and the proective policy are exceedingly active at this time is evidenced by the organized movement brought into evidence at the convention of the Federation of Women's Clubs at Chautauqua, New York, to commit that organization to the program of the so-called Non-partisan Tariff League, a camouflaged anti-protective tariff organization.

A special appeal is made to women to fight a protective tariff. This appeal is based on the theory that protection means higher retail prices. We have had the highest cost of living and the most profiteering in necessities under the present tariff law the American people have ever experienced. In the long run the protective policy, as experience has demonstrated, brings about lower rather than higher retail prices through the stimulation of domestic production and competition. This appeal to women is prompted by theoretical free traders, but far more by huge importing interests engaged in charging enormous profits on articles bought abroad at low prices, but sold to the ultimate consumer in the American market at al. the market will bear.

Sensible women will not forget that they are interested in prosperous American production more than in foreign importations. Many hundreds of thousands of American women are directly employed in American productive industry. Every women in the United States is affected by general business conditions in this country. When foreign production is promoted and domestic production discouraged, it means unemployment, and unemployment means hardship in the American home.

American women should stand for the American protective policy which builds and safeguards American industry. Under that system the United States has become the most prosperous nation in the world, with women occupying a more desirable economic position than elsewhere on the globe. Women should not allow themselves to be deluded by organizations using highsounding phrases about "non-partisanship" and "fair tariff" but working all the time against tariff rates high enough to be protective of American industry, enterprise and employment.

A WARM ANSWER.

A quack doctor at a country fair was trying to sell his pills. By loud shouting he had managed to draw quite a crowd around his booth.

In a valiant effort to boost his sales he called out, "Ladies and gentlemen, I have sold these pills for over 20 years and have not heard a single complaint from any of my customers. What does this prove?"

A deep voice from the back of the crowd answered, "Dead men tell no tales."

THIRTY YEARS AGO.

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The butcher "threw in" a chunk of liver.

Folks said pneumatic tires were a joke.

Nobody "listened in" on a telephone.

There were no sane Fourths nor electric meters.

Strawstacks were burned instead of baled.

People thought English sparrows were "birds."

HOW HE WARNED 'EM.

"Thirty years ago women wore bustles," reads an item in another column of this issue, the which reminds us of the country editor who, irritated over the number of unpaid subscriptions, indited the following very pointed paragraph:

"Delinquent subscribers are hereby warned against permitting their daughters to use this paper for a bustle, for there is considerable due on it and they might take cold."

WATCH YOUR STEP.

Now that the nice weather is here and walking is a very popular pleasure it would be well for the people to know that pedestrians have no right on a public highway, like the state roads over the rights of vehicular traffic. A proper understanding of the Supreme Court's decision may prevent serious accidents.

The home merchant pays taxes, boosts the city and county in which he is located and contributes to every worth-while enterprise. On the other hand, the mail-order merchant's interest in a community is what he can get of it. Moral: Patronize those who assist and patronize you.

The merchant who does not advertise *may* know what he is doing, but the people don't.

SEEK $2,000,000 FUND.

Alumni of the Pennsylvania State college of McKean county assembled at the Farm Bureau, Smethport, last Thursday, to complete their organization for the $2,000,000 building fund campaign, to be launched in the fall. The speaker of the occasion was J. O. Keller, field agent of the organization. Harry Germon, president of the Alumni, presided.

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NOTE—During the months of July and August shows will be Wednesday, Friday, and Saturdays.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hubbard of Erie were the guests of S. W. Hubbard and family the after part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Volney Coleman of Salamanca, N. Y., were the guests of relatives in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hornlein of of Olean were the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Hornlein over the fourth.

Ralph Hornlein, of Buffalo spent the fourth of July with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Julius Hornlein of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bernard leave Friday for a trip to Atlantic City, Philadelphia and New York.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bernard were the guests of Mr. and Mrs Thos Walker of Wellsville, N. Y., over the Fourth.

Mrs. C. P. Johnson returned from the Thousand Islands Sunday where she has been a guest of Miss Lottie Anderson at Hamlin's Cottage for the past two weeks.

Mr. Axel Searholm and daughter Mildred of Bloomfield, New Jersey are the guests of C. P. Johnson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Chall and son, Roswell of Youngstown, Ohio, spent the Fourth with Mr. and Mrs. A. Engstrom and family.

Mr. David J. Schleif expects to leave for Pitsburgh next Monday, July the 10th, on a visit to his wife's people and friends for the week-end. He will accompany Mrs. Schleif home.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Oyers, minister to Liberia was the guest of Rev. W. E. VanDyke and family several days last week.

C. W. Shattuck has purchased the West Main street lot above Dr. H. L. McCoy's from Chas Masser, and will soon begin building a new residence.

Miss Margaret Spanogle spent several days this week in Port Allegany, as the guest of Miss Edna Black of that place.

Miss Ann Cooper was the guest of friends in Bradford several days last week.

Mrs. J. C. Gormley and grandsons Paul and James of Pittsburgh are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Shattuck and family.

Mrs. John Cooper and Miss Mary Cooper of Bradford have been the guests of Robert Cooper and family for the past week.

Robert and Richard Quinn of DuBois who have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. C. W. Shattuck for the past two weeks returned Saturday to their home.

Dr. and Mrs. Dan Luble and daughter Caroline, of Syracuse are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Redfield and family this week.

Mrs. John Cheeseman and daughter, Helen, of Kane, were the guests of Mart Heinlein and family Sunday.

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John B. Eastman is building a new garage on his farm northeast of town.

Mrs. Alice Paulson of Mt. Jewett and Mrs. Claude Heinlein and daughter, Jane were the guests of Mart Heinlein and family over the fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. John Larson and daughter Hazel and Gladys and C. K. Gregory and son Clarence left for Buffalo Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Taub of Smethport, are rejoicing over the arrival of a beautiful baby daughter, who made her advent at the Bradford hospital Saturday morning.

Mrs. M. M. Pomeroy and children and Mrs. T. W. Camp were Bradford visitors last Friday.

The regular weekly dance at Rew was held Monday evening instead of Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddonger, of Smethport, were the week-end guests of Hall Miller of the construction company.—Emporium Press.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Day and daughters of Syracuse, N. Y., are the guests of their mother, Mrs. N. M. Day of Water street.

Mrs. R. Kessler Jr., and daughter Nancy and son Raphael left Saturday for their summer cottage at Lake Piseco, N. Y.

Miss Hattie Fraley of Buffalo is the guests of Miss Octavia Raymer this week.

Miss Marguerite Smart of Uniontown, Pa., is the guest of her sister Mrs. C. C. Choate and family.

Mrs. John Wiant gave a party Friday evening at her residence for her niece, Harriet Wiant.

Mrs. W. S. Palmer and Mrs. C. C. Choate, entertained a number of young people Monday evening at a dancing party in Quirks hall for their sons, Robert Palmer, and Homer Choate.

Mrs. Wm. Hammer and daughter Eleanor of Corpus Christi Texas, are the guests of the formers mother, Mrs. Eugenia Hamlin.

Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Gregson and children John and Edith left Monday for Manitoba to spend a month with relatives.

Mrs. E. W. Workley and daughter Catherine returned Saturday, from York, N. Y., where they have been guests of Mrs. Workley's sister.

Rev. and Mrs. Chas. McCoy and five children and nurse, of Kenosha Wisconsin are the guests of the former's father, Dr. H. L. McCoy and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Grabe and family of Port Allegany motored to Smethport Sunday evening. They were accompanied home by Mrs. James Cooney, son Brown and Mrs. C. B. Corwin who will spend a few days with them.

Mrs. William Haffner, left for Buffalo last week to join her sister and together they will visit relatives in Ovid and Groton, N. Y., for about three weeks.

Miss Charlotte Spanogle spent last week as guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Sullivan and family of Duke Center and also attended Chautauqua in Bradford.

Mrs. Eva Sullivan, daughters Esther and Ruth and son William of Duke Center motored to Smethport Sunday afternoon, and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Spanogle and family.

Miss Octavia Raymer entertained a few guests at tea in honor of Miss Harriett Fraley of Buffalo Thursday evening.

Mrs. C. B. Corwin returned Thursday evening from Atlantic City and Philadelphia. She was accompanied by Mrs. James Cooney and son Brown, of Jersey Shore, who will be the guest of relatives in Smethport for a few weeks.

"Day Dreams," a really true-to-nature poem from the pen of "Are H. Emm," well and favorably known to readers of The Miner, is on our desk, but owing to an inordinate rush of compulsory matter this week, we are compelled to hold

Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Baker and sons Chas and William and Edward and Henry of Erie, Pa., are the guests of the latters father and mother, Dr. and Mrs. H. L. McCoy.

Miss Lydia Burlingame of Kasson spent a few days in town, guests of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hogarth of Harrisburg, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blowers of Westfield, N. Y., Mrs. M. J. Gailup of Long Beach, California, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brennan, son George and daughter, Myra, of Wellsville, Kansas, Henry Clothier of Buffalo were the week-end guests of Mrs. Edna Warren.

Mrs. Jeff Mayo and daughter of Fort Worth, Texas, are visiting Capt. and Mrs. E. R. Mayo. Mrs. Mayo drove through with her car.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walker left Monday morning for a ten days stay with their daughter, Mrs. B. T. Garlick and family at their cottage on lake Erie.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rice and family attended a reunion at Salamanca Sunday.

Miss Margaret Spanogle is the guest of Miss Edna Black of Port Allegany.

Mrs. F. M. Spanogle entertained a few friends at luncheon Monday in honor of Miss Harriet Fraley.

C. B. Corwin was an Olean visitor Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rice and son of Olean are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rice of Mill Street.

Mr. and Mrs Carlton Kohn of Eldred arrived in town Monday night.

Miss Gladys Dehass and Mrs. Alford Bush were Bradford visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Fitzgerald of Wellsville, N. Y. spent Tuesday as guests of M. P. O'Brien and family.

Mrs. A. H. Lyons and children of Bradford spent the Fourth as guests of Mrs. C. Anderson and family.

The Misses Vera, Alice and Elsie Johnson were Bradford visitors Friday.

Miss Mary McLaughlin and Charlie Faust of Bradford spent the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curt Ross and family.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Holmes of Lamont spent the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Nellis.

Miss Emily McCoy entertained a number of friends at a luncheon Friday.

Mrs Pauline Allman of Olean spent the week-end in town.

Mr. Russell Hungerford of Tyrone is spending the Fourth at his home in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hogarth of Harrisburg were called here Saturday on account of the death of Mr. Hogarth's grandmother, Mrs. Flora Hogarth.

The Misses Irma Terry, Marie McGavisk and Marie Malen were Bradford visitors Saturday.

Mrs. G. W. King has returned home from an extended visit to relatives and friends in Pittsburgh and Scottdale.

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WEEKLY COURT RECORD.

June 14to21, 1922.

DEEDS.

June 14. William Oaks to A. G. Irwin, Eldred. $750.

Alice A. McClure to Frank F. Rigail, Brodford, $1.

Waldo M. Whitehead, and wf to Ulisse Palandrani a nd wf, Bradford $1

F. B. Hazzard and wf to C. H. Messerly, Bradford, $1.

Albert Edward Booth to Lewis Emery et al Bradford $1

Lettie G. Robinson and hus to John J. Bosett, Bradford $1.

Evan O'Neil Kane and wf to Lewis Rupert, Kane, $1

Lewis Rupert and wf to Lila R. Kane, Kane, $1

Luigi Mahico and wife to Mike Zainpogno et al Kane, $1

Gust D. Saines and wf to Catherine McDermott Kane, $1.

George W. Winard and wf to Charles B. Ellison, Kane, $1

Edmund J. Burns and wf to Leo M. Healey and wf Bradford $1

June 15, Carl Fredell and wf to Robert Limerick and wf, Hamlin township $1

E. E. [illegible] Treas. to Warren Roxford, Otto township, $921.

Same to Henry H. Anderson, Hamlin township, $9.02.

Same to Same, Hamilton township, $6.12

Same to Same, Hamilton township, $11.83

Same to Cristine Anderson, Hamilton township, $6.74

Same to Cristine Anderson, Hamilton township, $526.

Alma Thurston, Ex. to George W. Olmstead and wf Ludlow, $1.

Melinda E. Evans to George K. Ramer, Smethport, $1.

June 16. Emma O. Alen to Oscar C. Wagner and wf Port Allegany, $150

Wm. F. Brace and wife to Ellen R. Lawry et al, Foster township, $1

Phoebe L. Newell et al to Joseph Tite, Bradford, $1

City Laundry and Dry Cleaning Company, to Bradford Foundry Company, Bradford, $1

June 19, C. R. Gallup and wf to Lawrence Burdick, Norwich $1

William Johnson and wf to Ralph Sayers, Hamilton township, $1.

Ada M. Young, to Theodore Cleveland, Keating township $598.18

Emma O. Allen to Salvator Caputo, Liberty township, $200.

June 20, M. J. Sweeney and wf to H. G. Beatty et al, Kane, $1

A. D. Simmons and wife to George A. Larkin, Otto town, $1

MORTGAGES.

June 14, Frank P. Rigail to McKean County B. & L. Association, Bradford $1600.

[illegible] McKean County [illegible] $[illegible]

[illegible] Bradford B. & L. Savings [illegible] Bradford $[illegible]

[illegible] Bradford $[illegible]

[illegible] $1000

Elias E. Wilson et al to First National Bank, [illegible] Bradford, $[illegible]

[illegible] to First Bank and Trust Co. Kane, $500.

[illegible] to Catherine McDermott, Kane, $2050.

Samuel [illegible] to Kane Bank & Trust Co. Wetmore township $300

George D. Gill and wf to Federal Land Bank, Baltimore, Eldred, township, $1200

[illegible] and wf to Edmund E. Burns, Bradford $700.

June 15, Mary Jane Tarbox to First National Bank Port Allegany, Liberty township $4100.

June 16, Jennie Gillis and husband, Kane Bank and Trust Co. Kane, $2500.

C. H. Messerly to F. B. Hazzard, Bradford $1000.

June 17, W. M. Kohl to Geo. H. Luther, Bradford, $700.

June 19, Theodore Cleveland and wf to Federal Land Bank, Keating township $800.

George Gabisch and wf to Federal Land Bank, Liberty twp. $1500.

Albert E. Jackson and wf to same Keating township, $500

Benjamin F. Cory and wf to same Keating township, $5000.

Silas W. Johnson to David P. Paterson, Hamilton twp. $509.

June 20, Joseph Tite to Phebe L. Newell et al. Bardford $585

SATISFACTION MORTGAGES

June 14, Maye Hasbrouck Ex. to Olaf Olson, Kane, $1790.

Wilbur H. Smith to Edward Dewey and wf Bradford, $300

Clarence E. Conan to Anna E. Brown and husband Bradford, $600.

George W. Hutingon to Lena LeRoy Bradford. $600

Kane Bank and Trust Company to Luigi Mauchino, Kane, $800,

Catherine McDermott to Gust Gust D. Saines et al, Kane, $12500.

June 15, First National Bank Port Allegany, to Mary Jane Tarbox and husband Liberty, $800.

June 16, Kane Bank and Trust Company to Jennie Gillis and husband, Kane. $2500, $2500.

June 20, James G. Montgomery to George W. Berry, Kane, $2000.

JUDGMENTS.

No 38 October term 1922 Holmes and Gilfillan, Inc. vs George Young $876,06

No 39, Bovaird and Company vs Smith and White, $1800,

No 40, Same vs J. E. Smith $415,91

No 41 Tuna Manufacturing Company vs W. J. Comstock, Eden M. Comstock $122,72

No 42 F, M. Nash et al vs Jack L. Ross, $121,56

No 43, J.C.McWilliams vs C. Moberg, $178,50

No 45, Anna D. Crate vs Sarafino Damico, $165

No 46 Lewis V. Piscitelli vs Mervyn E. King; Clara W. King $375

No 47 Holmes & Gilfillan, Inc., vs George Young $246.20

No 48 G. W. Slingerland vs Lewis Newell, $1050

TAX ON OIL MAY FOLLOW COURTS COAL DECISION.

The Supreme court of the state has handed down a decision upholding the validity of the coal tax of one and one-half per cent on the value of the coal at the mine. The constitutionality of the act was questioned, but the high court has decided that the tax is legal and that the provisions of the constitution have not been violated.

There is a feeling among the oil producers that a tax will be levied on oil by the legislature, and the decision rendered in the coal tax case seems to indicate that a tax on crude oil would be just as legal as one on coal. The question of taxing gasoline is also before the Supreme court and the decision in that case will be watched with interest.

If an act is passed taxing petroleum, it is more than likely that it will be legal and will comply with all the requirements of the constitution, but certain oil producers will seek to stop the measure in its incipiency and see that the proposed measure is killed in the legislature.

GOOD WEATHER BRINGS AUTOISTS TO SMETHPORT

Sunday was a nice day and about every auto owner in Northwestern Pennsylvania took advantage of it. From 10 o'clock a. m. until 6 o'clock evening, Main street of Smethport at times resembled a big city thoroughfare on a busy day. The travelers came from all directions, and it is known that many Smethport autoists traveled in all directions.

A citizen living along the road [illegible] Vale and Cory [illegible] by the way, is authority for the statement that [illegible] at one [illegible] was in fact a greater number traveled the road between 2 and 6 p. m.

NEWLY-WEDDED COUPLE WILL MAKE HOME HERE

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Monday morning, June 26, Mr. Zefa A. Cox of Smethport and Miss Esther Rifle were united in matrimony by Rev. W. A. Billings, pastor of the First Baptist Church. The happy couple left for a wedding trip to Williamsport and other places of interest and will after their return to Smethport where a cozy home awaits them. Mr. and Mrs. Cox both have a host of friends who will wish them a long life of happiness together. Port Allegany Reporter-Argus.

CONTINUED RAINS BLIGHT HEAVY HARVEST OF HAY.

The heavy rains of the past several days have caused those farmers who have cut their hay no end of worry. Unless clear, warm weather comes and comes in a hurry, thousands of tons of the best timothy ever produced in this section will be blighted if not wholly ruined.

Northwestern Pennsylvania alone seems to be afflicted with a storm epidemic the most unusual weather in many years according to the farmers.

97-ACRE FARM; VALUABLE COAL GROUND; CROPS, HORSES, 7 CATTLE.

Poultry, vehicles, machinery, tools, dog included if taken soon; convenient high school town; good **markets; healthful surroundings; 65 acres highly cultivated tillage; estimated 150,000 feet timber; 35 fruit trees; 6 room house; 40 ft. barn, outbuildings. Aged owner, low price $3900 takes all, part cash. Blake V. Mizer, Selby Bldg., Coshocton, Ohio.**

"FLIVERBOOB" DESCRIBES RECKLESS AUTO DRIVER.

Are you an auto owner? And do *you drive your machine in a reck*less careless fashion, regardless of consequenses?

If so, you are a "fliverboob." This *according to the decision reached by* judges deciding the American Automobile Association's contest to pick a name describing the reckless manner *that "jay-walker" describes the* careless pedestrain.

More than 10,000 names were submitted in the contest, and suggestions came *from* all parts *of* the United States.

Some declared that it would be impossible to describe a reckless *and careless driver in language that* would go through the mails. However, "fliverboob" is now the official cognomen and careless drivers of *automobiles henceforth will be forc*ed to suffer the title as a consequence.

STEEL PRODUCTION UP TO 100 PER CENT. AT SHARON

Sharon, Pa., July 5.—With the resumption of the skelp mill of the Carnegie Steel company at Farrell 100 per cent production will be reached for the first time in practically two years. Repairs on the skelp mill are nearly completed and it is likely that steel will be rolled by the middle of the week.

The American Sheet and Tinplate Company is operating the sheet and tin mills in full. The American Steel and Wire plant is operating at normal capacity. Despite the torrid weather not a single hot mill has been closed through lack of workmen this summer, which is regarded as a remarkable record.

SMETHPORT MAN WEDS POPULAR CROSBY GIRL

News of the marriage of Miss Velma Lillian Wilcox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irban G. Wilcox of Crosby, to Mr. Cecil Gorton Metzgar, well and favorably known Smethport young man, on Wednesday, June 28, was received in Smethport, Monday. The young couple were wedded in Olean, New York, by Rev. William Bishop Gates. The ceremony was performed in the Presbyterian manse. Immediately following the rites the newly-wedded pair left on a trip to Jamestown, Chautauqua lake, Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

HAPPILY MARRIED.

A delightful wedding ceremony was performed at Custer City last Thursday morning when Miss Nellie Arvilla Chesney, daughter of Mrs. Hattie Chesney, of Custer City, became the bride of John Francis Tonly, a popular young man of Eldred. Rev. Urban S. Barrett officiated in the presence of some 25 intimate friends of the bride and groom. Following [illegible] wedding [illegible] the newly-made man and wife left on a motor trip to New York cities.

NOW YOU KNOW IT.

How Shinglehouse got its name dates back to the early part of the 19th century when Mr. Genery, a Frenchman, built a house near the present site of the town, and shingled it all over instead of clapboarding it. It presented an odd appearance and became a mark of distinction in that vicinity and the name of Shingle House clung to the settlement which sprung up around it, although in later years the name was contracted into the one word Shinglehouse.

BECKWITH FAMILY REUNION.

The seventeenth annual reunion of the Beckwith family will be held at Riverhurst, N. Y., August 2, and preparations are being made for the most pleasurable event this noted family has ever enjoyed. It was voted at the last reunion that a chicken dinner should feature the "eats" this year, and every member is urged to bring plates, cups, knives, forks and all other gas*tronomic tools.*

ATTENDS MEDIC CLINIC.

Dr. W. A. Ostrander returned to Smethport Saturday from Mount Alto, Pa., where, as medical director for McKean county, he attended the State Tuberculosis Clinic. Sixty-eight county medical directors in all participated in the clinic, where advanced methods having to do with scientific handling of the white plague were demonstrated.

SWAT HIM NOW!

The early fly's the one to swat,
It comes before the weather's hot,
And sits around and files its legs.
And lays at least a million eggs,
And every egg will bring a fly.
To drive us crazy bye and bye.

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General store located at Portville, N. Y., doing good business. Reason for selling to settle estate. Call or write for particulars. A. W. Holton Est., Portville, N. Y.

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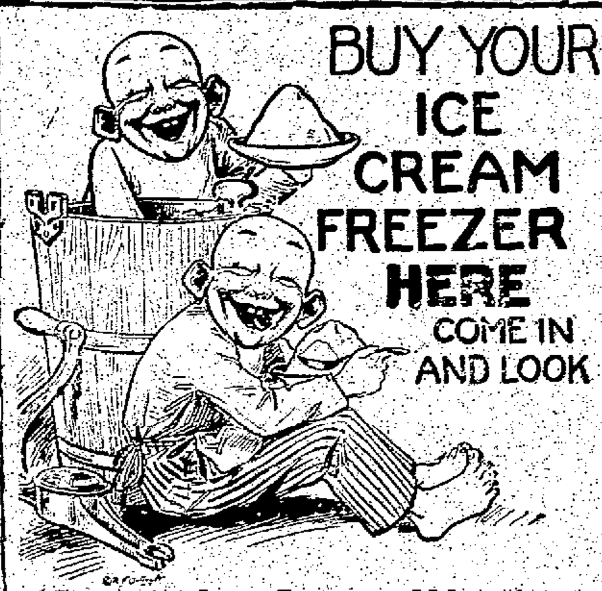

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JULY 12 TO 15

LOOK FOR THE YELLOW PENNANT IN STORE WINDOWS

THE BUSINESS MEN OF BRADFORD, PA., HAVE AGAIN UNITED FOR THE PURPOSE OF SHOWING TO THE PEOPLE IN THEIR TRADE TERRITORY THAT THEY WANT YOUR TRADE, AND JUDGING FROM THE QUALITY, STYLE, AND REASONABLE PRICES OFFERED THEY MERIT YOUR PATRONAGE. THEREFORE FOR FOUR DAYS YOU WILL HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE EVERY DOLLAR GO FURTHER; THEY WILL HAVE MORE CENTS BECAUSE BETER VALUES CAN BE BOUGHT FOR LESS. THE MERCHANTS OF THIS WIDE AWAKE OIL METROPOLIS OF NORTHWESTERN PENNSYLVANIA WANT YOU TO REALIZE WHAT IT MEANS TO HAVE A LARGE TRADING CENTER IN YOUR MIDST. COME.

WEDNESDAY—Owners' Automobile Parade. Register at Rest Room and compete for a Prize.

THURSDAY—Dealers' Automobile Parade. All makes of Pleasure Cars. Band concert and sing in the evening.

FRIDAY—Children's Day and Parade. Every boy and girl under 15 years of age entering the parade will be treated to ice cream.

SATURDAY—EVERYBODYS' DAY.

SUNDAY—GO TO CHURCH.

BETTER VALUES FOR LESS.

4 DAYS OF BARGAINS

Prizes, Parades and Entertainments. Come

YELLOW WARBLER

THERE were many children who lived in the same badly kept tenement house with Tim but Tim seemed to be the only one who did not like the crowded doorsteps and noisy crowds of children.

He did not delight in stoning poor stray pussies either or teasing children younger than himself as he was often teased by the older boys.

The schoolroom was Tim's delight, for Miss Carter, his teacher, told the children of cool, green fields, birds and flowers and apples enough on the ground for everyone to have all they wanted.

One afternoon Tim stayed later than the other children and walked timidly up to Miss Carter's desk. "Please, Miss Carter, how far is it to the apple orchard you told us about today?" he asked.

"How Far Is It to the Apple Orchard?"

"It is pretty far to that particular one," was the reply, as she looked into the eager little face beside her.

"I used to live there, Tim, and every year after school closes I go back and see all my animal friends as well as the orchard."

As Miss Carter looked at Tim a sudden thought came to her. "How would you like to go home with me this summer and see my friends and pick up the apples I have told you about?"

How Tim lived through the next few weeks he could never have told, but the day did come when he left the noisy city far behind and, with Miss Carter, rode on the train to the country he could hardly believe was real.

The first night in the sweet white bed Tim slept but little for fear it was all a dream, but it wasn't and there were weeks of happiness ahead.

Tim's cheeks grew round and rosy, his eyes bright and such walks and talks as he had with Miss Carter and he met all of her animal friends, but best of all was a pretty yellow warbler that built a nest in the fork of the apple tree.

Tim watched this yellow fellow flying back and forth into the tree and one day he asked: "Miss Carter, what does that bird carry in his mouth and what does he do with it?"

"If you will promise never to touch bird nests, Tim, or take their eggs, I will show you something very pretty," said Miss Carter.

And when the yellow warbler had flown away again, Miss Carter and Tim placed a ladder by the tree and carefully climbed up.

Tim's eyes were wide with wonder, for he had no idea what he was to see and when Miss Carter whispered "Look!" and showed him a nest with four little birds in it, their mouths wide open for food, he was not able to even ask a question.

When they were on the ground again Miss Carter told him how Mrs. Warbler made the nest from bits of straw and horsehair, with which it was lined, and this was brought to her by her good husband, Mr. Warbler.

"And didn't you help them at all?" asked Tim, for he could not believe that anything so wonderful could have been made by anything but hands.

And then Miss Carter told Tim how wicked it was for anyone to take a nest or the eggs and harm the baby birds when the little mother and father birds had worked so hard to make their home and loved their children just as little boys and girls were loved by their parents.

When it was time to return to the city Tim was made happy by being told that the next summer he could go to the farm when school was over and again meet the Yellow Warbler and all the other friends he had made while there.

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THE RIGHT THING at the RIGHT TIME

By MARY MARSHALL DUFFEE

PARENTS FORGET

THERE is a rule of good form that tells us that we should never reprove a servant or other employee in the presence of outsiders. A waitress perhaps breaks a dish at dinner and the confused hostess exclaims hastily that she should not be so awkward or that she has been very careless. Now, the perfectly well-bred hostess does not do this. She does her best at the time to draw her guests' attention from the mishap and, if she feels that any reproof is necessary, she waits until she is alone with the servant.

Now, if we are as considerate as this to servants, ought we not to be as considerate to our children? Yet, truly, I know plenty of persons who would not think of reproving servants in my presence, especially nowadays, when servants are so independent and hard to get, who would not think it anything amiss to scold their children in my presence.

Sometimes the scolding is delivered in a half-teasing, jesting manner. "John, will you be careful?" exclaims the mother to her ten-year-old son, when he is trying to bring her some article that she has sent for. "You are the most awkward creature in the world. Your feet are so big it's no wonder you trip over them." And then to her guest: "Just imagine, John wears shoes that are larger than mine already. I suppose he is going to have enormous feet like his father."

It may be that John is sensitive. He was doubtless trying to do the errand gracefully and carefully, and it hurts him to be reproved for his failure to do so. Moreover, he feels sensitive about those big feet. He knows that the only reason his parents tease him about them is because he cannot come back at them and make teasing remarks about their infirmities.

Now, really, does it seem fair? If you want to reprove John and humble him—perhaps you are justified, but you ought at least to be as considerate to him as you would be to a servant—and do it when there is no third person present.

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The Friendly Path

By Walter L. Robinson

YOUR OWN DOORSTEP

SWEEP your own doorstep! It always is easier to find fault with others than with oneself. And it is just as true that when one goes around looking for trouble, he's likely to miss more serious difficulties of his own making.

Neglect is never excusable. If one is fair to his fellows as well as himself, he will always have his own house in order before he starts out to make others clean house. If one wishes to find fault with the treatment accorded him by his fellows, he should survey his own record of actions toward his fellowmen.

Many persons are constantly making their own lives miserable and adding to the sorrow of the world by complaining that "the world is going to the bow-wows," and contending that nothing short of another deluge will bring sinfulness to an end. They overlook entirely all the many good things and good deeds which are constantly being brought about by self-sacrificing individuals. Because people spend so much time discussing the sordid side of life, they come to think little of the better side.

With all the disappointing evidences of lawlessness and disregard for moral laws and modesty, it is still a fact that the vast majority are clean-minded, hard-working, law-abiding, God-fearing men and women. If they were not, there would be nothing new in the wicked pathways about which we hear so much. If the majority were following the wrong trail the story of sin and misery and missteps would attract but passing attention. The exception, as usual, proves the rule.

If all those who are worried about the "tendencies" of the age would keep their own course straight and would try to encourage others by their cheerful examples, there would be less sin in the world. For there are few who intentionally take the wrong path.

One always will make his own life happier and the world more cheerful if he keeps his thoughts and words focussed on the better side.

It never pays to play with fire or to occupy one's time reading trash.

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"Harold Moonleigh!" she murmured. "Poor fellow. How broken up he was over my refusal of him."

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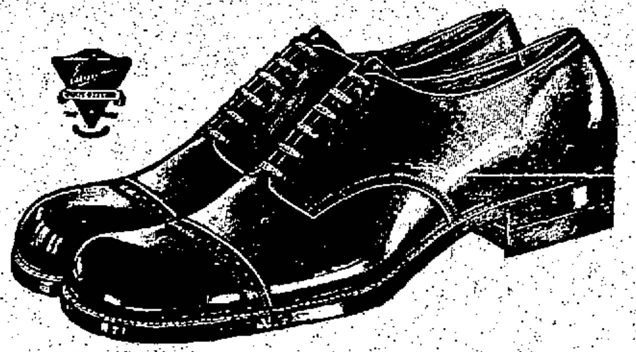
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ANTS MARCH IN REGIMENTS

Remarkable Stories Told of Insects That Are a Pest on the Gold Coast of Africa.

The ultimate curiosity of the African Gold Coast is the driver-ant, which also constitutes its worst pest. The driverants constitute the standing army of the insect world. They have a system of caste and rank, and the naturalist gravely tells that the workers are a quarter of an inch long, the soldiers about half an inch, while the stately officers reach seven-eighths of an inch.

"A crack regiment of driverants," solemnly says the Oxford Survey of the British Empire, "marches in close formation, perhaps twelve abreast, forming a line some two inches wide, the soldiers being distributed along the flanks and at regular intervals amongst the workers, on much the same plan as that laid down for a British column in thick country. The force travels at the double, and generally at night, taking as straight a line as possible and selecting all available cover, an advance party having already prepared the way. These insects construct tunnels in exposed spots, perhaps thirty feet in length, with a height and breadth which may be as much as one inch, and provided with airshafts. Every animal makes way for them, for they will attack anything in [illegible], [illegible] their system of communication enabling them to send reinforcements to any threatened point."

HATS USED TO DENOTE RANK

In China Headgear to the Value of Many Thousands of Dollars Is Not Uncommon.

The natives of the Philippines and South Sea islands wear large sun-hats as a protection from the heat. Palm leaves of various kinds furnish the material generally used, but the shapes differ. Some are woven flat and some with a peak. The commonest form in the Philippines is made of palm leaves covered with cane, a cane hat-band giving an air space above the head. The ornamentation of these hats is very simple; no colors are used, with the exception of brown, which is occasionally introduced by the use of hemp.

In China, in addition to the large, peaked-sunshade hat used as a protection against heat, there is the hat which is emblematic of rank. The social position of a Manchu woman, for instance, can always be determined by the ornaments on her bonnet, often consisting of precious jewels. These hats range in price from a few dollars to as high as $10,000 apiece. One of the most interesting specimens on exhibition at the Brooklyn museum is a hat covered with delicate ornaments of turquoise blue kingfisher's feathers, an imitation of jewels formerly used, fastened to a frame of a stiff black open mesh. These ornaments, which are made with a metal foundation, stand out about half an inch from the hat itself, and are beautiful both in design and color.

Cannibal Plant.

In the [illegible] territory is a remarkable [illegible] called the [illegible]. One will frequently find the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] for [illegible] has [illegible] foliage [illegible]. However, if one lifts one of these [illegible] he will find it attached to a strong [illegible] [illegible], it [illegible] [illegible] yards he will find [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] whole [illegible] come to the [illegible] [illegible] attached [illegible].

[illegible] will be only dead twigs and stems of other vegetation [illegible] can live under this [illegible].

Onions as Medicine.

[illegible] [illegible] The [illegible] of [illegible] and garlic, the former apparently used [illegible] to increase thirst and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] This [illegible] has persisted up to the present time, and it is somewhat strange to [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] milk diet were pronounced the best remedy for dropsy.

Helping the Judge.

It was his first case, and the lawyer, whose zeal probably outweighed his learning, was arguing a case in a local court.

"My contention, your honor," he said, "is that the lower court made an error because the verdict is against the weight of evidence."

"We can't hear that," said the judge, meaning that even a rising young lawyer's opinion is not evidence.

"Very well, judge," said the young man of the law, who entirely missed the point, "if your honor can't [illegible] I will speak a little louder."—London Answers.

Land and Letters.

"You can't come into the building," said the severe man in the uniform. "You're a book agent."

"I'm not," protested the visitor. "I'm a literator. If a man who sells houses is a 'realtor,' a man who sells books has a perfect right to be known as a 'literator.'"

COPIED PRACTICES OF BIRDS

Man in His Attempted Conquest of the Air Has Only Imitated the Feathered Creatures.

Now that man has practically conquered the problem of flying, it is interesting to observe that he actually learned this in the same way as did the birds themselves.

But birds were originally not birds at all, but belonged to the reptile family, and acquired wings through a long series of changes in the forward part of the body. These reptiles could swim, and this is the nearest approach to actual flying there is.

The first fossil bird on record appears to have had quill feathers between the legs and the body, being a combination of bird and reptile. These feathers and tail enabled it to sail through the air. Continued practice of this sailing would have a tendency to affect the scales on the body of the reptile through friction with the air, causing them to split and become fuzzy.

Scientists agree upon this, but they do not all stand together upon the question of the probable manner in which flying was first attempted, remarks the Detroit News. Some think that these creatures learned to fly by springing upward from the ground, others say that they started from the top of a tree or hill and sailed downward. It probably was practiced in a downward direction from a height, and, this once done, the creatures gradually learned from moving their wings to steady themselves in sailing downward. Afterward they found that by continued flapping they could also rise.

Man, in learning to fly, also imitated the birds in this respect, for he started where the birds did. His first success with the flying machine was in "gliding" from a height downward, and he, too, learned how to start from the ground and rise.

PIT OF REMARKABLE DEPTH

Strong Belief Held in English County That "Eldon Hole" Is Absolutely Bottomless.

Far from habitation on a hillside in the moors of Derbyshire, England, lies a dreadful chasm in the rock. The chasm is of no great width, but has a sheer descent to a tremendous depth. This is the bottomless pit of "Eldon Hole," regarded for centuries as unfathomable. The gap is surrounded by a low stone wall, and a projecting ledge at one end enables the adventurous investigator to peer down into the gloomy depths. For ages the chasm was regarded as a terrible place, popularly supposed to lead directly to infernal regions. A gruesome story relates that 300 years ago a man was lowered into the cleft to a depth of 800 feet. When the unfortunate fellow was hauled up again he was a raving maniac and died eight days later. For centuries the place was regarded with superstitious awe and no real attempt was made to find the bottom until about 1700, when one writer stated that half a mile of rope had failed to reach it. As the whole district is honeycombed with holes and crevices, it is probable that the chasm of "Eldon Hole" leads to a maze of underground passages.

Ancient Advertisement.

A drinking cup was recently sold at London, belonging to Sir Arthur Evans' collection, which is [illegible] interesting because of [illegible] inscription claimed to be the first known advertisement. It runs rather plaintively: "Made by Ennion for the buyer to remember." For the Twentieth century buyer it is not a question of remembering, but of endeavoring to trace the history of one whose work goes back more than 2,000 years old. Ennion is believed to have been an artist of Sidon, the principal city of Phoenicia for many centuries, and even in the Middle ages a place of considerable importance. Now it is little more than a village. His story having faded as completely as the [illegible] of [illegible] citizen, whose request, nevertheless, [illegible] be remembered, has not remained wholly unheeded.

Would Be Embarrassing.

During the social session of a lodge the other night, the expenses were defrayed by levying fines on the various members for real or fancied infractions of the rules.

The fines were collected by the sergeant-at-arms.

In one instance, however, the sergeant made no effort to collect the fine, and the chairman directed his attention to the oversight.

Again the sergeant remained indifferent.

Rapping for order, the chairman exclaimed:

"The Sergeant-at-arms has refused to collect a fine from Brother Ailey. We will hear what excuse he has to make."

"I—I—I owe him money."—Youngstown Telegram.

Halley's Comet.

Halley's comet, which visits this part of the universe about every seventy-six years, was seen at its best here on April 19, 1910. Prof. Max Wolff of Heidelberg first detected the comet on its visit on September 11, 1909. In the late spring of 1910 it became visible to the naked eye. Between 2:30 in the morning and dawn it was a beautiful spectacle in the eastern sky. The tail grew in length and impressiveness as perihelion was approached, April 19. "Halley" passed within half a million miles of Venus on May 2, and an observed irregularity of tail structure was perhaps occasioned thereby.

LOCAL OVERFLOW.

Mr. Arthur McDermott was a Bradford visitor Saturday.

Candy! Candy. Candy. See the specials at the News Stand.

Miss Elmeda and Mildred Johnson spent last week in Detroit, Mich.

Lydia Burlingame of Kasson is the guest of Mrs. Rose Hergoz this week.

Mr. Albert Peterson spent a few days as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Curt Ross.

Miss Ruth Jones entertained a number of friends at a six o'clock dinner Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Jack Morrison of Buffalo, spent the week-end at her home in this place.

Mr. Clarence Daly of Chicago is spending a few weeks at her home in this place.

Mrs. R. D. Cauley and son, Junior, of St. Marys, are visiting Mr. P. S. Curran and family.

Miss Mary Dresser and Miss Lucile Crumbaugh of Chicago are guests of Mrs. Fanny D. Cramer this week.

Miss Alma Beilz of Buffalo was a visitor at the home of Samuel Green of Green street over the 4th.

A freight car derailed near Backus, Monday at the noon hour, held up traffic on the Kushequa railway some 30 hours.

Doctor and Mrs. Samuel Larned and daughter, Elnore, of Syracuse, N. Y., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Redfield and family.

Miss Octavia Raymer entertained a number of friends at a dance Sunday evening in honor of Miss Harriet Fraley of Buffalo, N. Y.

SMETHPORT BALL CLUB TO MEET OLD TIMERS IN BENEFIT TO VETERAN

A benefit base ball game for Will Fuller, well-known veteran semi-professional player, in which a team composed of famous old-timers will contend with the local aggregation, will be played on the East Smethport grounds next Sunday afternoon, game starting at 3:30.

When many of Mr. Fuller's fellow players learned of his continued illness and advised with members of the local team, a benefit game was planned as outlined above. Later Mr. Michael Keifer, a veteran ball player, took an interest in the matter and succeeded in perfecting a line-up of old-timers calculated to do credit to the benefit game. Included in Mr. Keifer's line-up are the one-time familiar names of Waldo Sasse, Servatious, Pat Dougherty, Tull, Keifer, McFall, Denning, Croisant, Daniels, Lemon, Greeley.

It is the intention of the old-timers to show the local boys that they have not forgotten the national sport, and the promise is given that one of the best games ever played on the Smethport diamond awaits all patrons. In any event the cause is an exceeding worthy one and deserving the support of all.

MOTHER SEES DARING AIR STUNTS PERFORMED BY TWO OF HER BOYS

Mrs. Fannie D. Cramer of Smethport, attended the Fourth of July exercises at Johnsonburg, where she witnessed her two sons, Parker Cramer of Clarion and William of Smethport, put on one of their thrilling airplane and parachute jumps. Parker Cramer, who is a noted airplane pilot, put his machine through a course of thrilling manuvers, and William ended the event by a leap from the plane from a distance of several thousand feet and descent by parachute. Both boys have been in the business for so long a time that Mrs. Cramer declares she has become accustomed to it and is no longer apprehensive of danger.

OLEAN MINISTER TIES DOUBLE KNOT SATURDAY

A delightful double wedding ceremony was performed at Olean, N. Y., Saturday, July 1, when Rev. Mr. Williamson, pastor of the Olean Methodist Episcopal church, united Miss Alice Barrett Schlabig and Mr. Gordon Broughton, and Miss Margaret Dyce and Mr. Russell Lattin in the holy bonds of wedlock. The ceremony was performed at the M. E. parsonage. Miss Barrett, the bride of Mr. Broughton, a former Smethport girl, is a daughter of Mrs. Minnie Schlabig, of Smethport, while the groom is one of the rising young men of Lockport, N. Y. Miss Dyce, bride of Mr. Lattin, is a deservedly popular Coudersport young lady, while Mr. Lattin is a respected citizen of Galeton, Pa.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Emma Hamlin McCandless, Late of the Borough of Smethport, County of McKean and State of Pennsylvania.

Letters testimentary in the above estate having been granted on the 24th day of April 1922, by the Register of Wills of said county of McKean to Orlo J. Hamlin of Smethport Borough and county aforesaid; Request is hereby made to all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent to immediately make known the same, and all persons indebted to the estate of the said decedent to make payment thereof to the said Executor, without delay.

O. J. HAMLIN,
Executor.

Gallup & Potter,
Attorneys.

Smethport, Pa., May 25, 1922.

A PROGRESSIVE HEN.

F. A. Patterson of Olean found a hen which had made its nest in a small soap box. There were 32 eggs placed three deep, and of which twenty-nine were hatched.

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Reasonable Statement.

The creator of [illegible] new beauty [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] for [illegible] [illegible] for example, that [illegible] own [illegible] for [illegible] new beauty [illegible] special [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] old [illegible] beauty who [illegible] [illegible] to cultivate it. For beauty is a [illegible] eternal and one, recognizable under all differences of form.—Baltimore American.

Makes His Coats Last.

Frank S. Stone of Westboro, Mass., says the Boston Globe, has worn the same overcoat for 37 winters, and he says it is good for ten more. For bitter cold he has a heavier coat which has been in service for only 20 years. Stone says styles travel in a circle, returning on the average every five years, his 37-year-old coat having been in the height of fashion seven times.

MEN OF GENIUS NOT "SMART"

English Professor Declares They Are, in Fact, Extremely Slow to Grasp a Point.

Defining "smartness" as the capacity to adjust oneself rapidly to the immediate circumstances, Prof. T. H. Pear, University of Manchester, said at the Educational association's annual conference at University college, that "a genius is usually anything but smart, and he distinguishes himself from the merely smart man, who lives up to the external demands, by refusing to accept the surroundings, by setting about them instead of allowing them to set about him.

"I believe that some geniuses might not achieve the topmost ranks in a good many mental tests, especially in those requiring rapid solution of problems. A genius never sees any complex problem in the same light as an ordinary person and in a mental test may appear to be stupid.

"Some brilliant scientists would make woefully bad hospital orderlies, district visitors or managers of a household. The reason is not that they cannot attune themselves to the situation."

Professor Pear divided people into two classes: the extroverts and the introverts. The extrovert, with the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] is [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] extrovert, but the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] calculates the [illegible] [illegible] is [illegible] equally healthy introvert.—London Daily Mail.

WILL FIGHT FOR BARGAINS

British Journal's Incident Shows That Women Are Women Though the Ocean May Divide.

A Joke that blooms each January and July in the funny papers is the changed disposition of women in sale times. A good deal of it, of course, is just joke, and nothing else, but there is a certain layer of truth at the roots of it. One never does actually see shoppers hitting each other with umbrellas or stamping on the assistants, though on the opening day of the sales recently there were women with thin fingers jerking blouses away from limp, tentative fingers and elbowing through crowds in a manner that even a conductor would regret to see in a street car. Rich silk petticoats spilled off the counters on the dusty floor, and women tramped over them just as though they were clumps of buttercups. Little frail bits of lingerie were tugged at the seams in a way that was simply asking for trouble. Flimsy blouses were tossed into crumpled heaps. It seemed scarcely possible that any of the goods displayed could survive the tumult and battle of this, the first day.—Manchester Guardian Weekly.

Sarcastic.

The first step in learning whether your child is properly nourished, we read, is to "weigh the child in kilograms." The kilogram is very light, we understand, but if absolute accuracy is required, you may weigh the child in them first, and then later take 'em off and weigh 'em separately. On second thought, we advise the separate weight in all cases, especially where the kilograms are winter weight.

Reading further, you "multiply the result by ten, and then divide the result by the child's sitting height in centimeters"—just everyday centimeters will do—"and take the cube root of the result, and you will have a figure that will tell you whether your child is properly nourished." Most any architect or engineer in the telephone book will be glad to call and find the cube root for you.—Kansas City Star.

MARRIED WEDNESDAY.

Miss Urdnna Church and Mr. William Burdick, a popular and highly esteemed young couple of Farmers Valley, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony, Wednesday. Congratulations from a legion of friends await them.

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